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8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
9 Northern District of California
10 Oakland Division

11 CHRISTOPHER ELLIS, No. C 11-00417 LB
12 Plaintiff,
13 v.
14 MICHAEL J. ASTRUE,
15 Defendant.

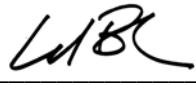
**ORDER DIRECTING PLAINTIFF TO
FILE CONSENT/DECLINATION
FORM**

16 This civil case was randomly assigned to United States Magistrate Judge Laurel Beeler for all
17 purposes including trial. In accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 636(c), magistrate judges are designated to
18 conduct any and all proceedings in a civil case, including trial and entry of final judgment, upon the
19 consent of the parties. An appeal from a judgment entered by Judge Beeler may be taken directly to
20 the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit in the same manner as an appeal from any
21 other judgment of a district court.

22 Plaintiff has not filed a written consent to Judge Beeler's jurisdiction. Plaintiff also has the right
23 to have the case assigned to a United States District Judge for trial and disposition. Accordingly,
24 Plaintiff shall inform the Court whether he consents to Judge Beeler's jurisdiction or requests
25 reassignment to a United States District Judge. The consent/declination form shall be filed by
26 February 14, 2011.

27 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

28 Dated: January 31, 2011



LAUREL BEELER
United States Magistrate Judge

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12 Plaintiff(s), **CONSENT TO PROCEED BEFORE A**
13 v. **UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE**
14 MICHAEL J. ASTRUE,
15 Defendant(s).
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17 **CONSENT TO PROCEED BEFORE A UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE**

18 In accordance with the provisions of Title 28, U.S.C. § 636(c), the undersigned party hereby
19 consents to have a United States Magistrate Judge conduct any and all further proceedings in the
20 case, including trial and the entry of a final judgment. Appeal from the judgment shall be taken
21 directly to the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit.

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23 Dated: _____

Signature

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25 Counsel for _____
(Plaintiff, Defendant or indicate "pro se")

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
Northern District of California
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CHRISTOPHER ELLIS,

No. C 11-00417 LB

Plaintiff,

**DECLINATION TO PROCEED BEFORE
A UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE
JUDGE AND REQUEST FOR
REASSIGNMENT TO A UNITED
STATES DISTRICT JUDGE**

v.

MICHAEL J. ASTRUE,

Defendant.

REQUEST FOR REASSIGNMENT TO A UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

The undersigned party declines to consent to the assignment of this case to a United States Magistrate Judge and requests the reassignment of this case to a United States District Judge.

Dated: _____

Signature _____

Counsel for _____
(Plaintiff, Defendant, or indicate "pro se")